

## Message Text

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E.O. 11652: XDGS-1

TAGS: ESTC, COCOM, FR, GE

SUBJECT: FRENCH MALAYAN MONAZITE ORE TO GDR--AE 1

REF: A) OECD PARIS 431, B) COCOM DOC (77) 15

MAINTAIN RESERVE. US BELIEVES THAT URANO-THORIANITE AND  
MONAZITE ARE TWO DISTINCTIVELY DIFFERENT MINERALS.  
FURTHERMORE IT IS US UNDERSTANDING THAT MONAZITE GENERALLY  
DOES NOT EXCEED 8 PERCENT THORIUM BY WEIGHT. REQUEST  
CLARIFICATION AS TO ACTUAL MATERIAL BEING REQUESTED FOR  
EXPORT AND THORIUM CONTENT OF THAT MATERIAL. IN ORDER TO  
JUSTIFY QUANTITY OF THORIUM REQUESTED, US WOULD ALSO LIKE  
TO KNOW PAST ANNUAL ,RODUCTION OF FLINTS BY THIS END-USER  
AND ANTICIPATED OUTPUT FROM THIS REQUEST.  
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## Message Attributes

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